USE OF THE DOUBLE AT ROYAL AUCTION the second round of bids if there was any overcalling. A bid two hearts, expecting to get the contract or drive Zout of his depth, as A knows he cannot go game in spades. Now Y wants to deny the spade suit, but at the same time he wants to show that he has a pretty good hand outside. If it was A that had bid the spades, he would double to show that he had none. As it is he doubles the hearts. This cannot possibly mean that he had none. As it is he doubles the hearts. This cannot possibly mean that he had none. As it is he doubles the hearts. This cannot possibly mean that he had none. As it is he double to show that he had none. As it is he doubles the hearts. This cannot possibly mean that he had none. As it is he double to show that he had none. As it is he doubles the hearts. This cannot possibly mean that he had none. As it is he double to show that he had none.

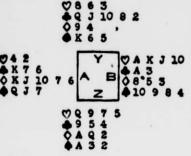
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and then to abide by his partner's choice.

Many examples of the kind have been
published in these articles.

But the same principle of bidding two suits can often be brought into play when the declarer had no intention at first of bidding anything except the one suit. The object of the secondary bid in such cases, which might almost be called a forced bid, is the same as the

character which came up in a recent duplicate match. Only one pair in the room went game on the hand and their



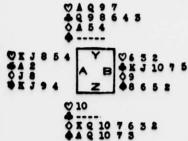
to two spades he went game, but it was a game that many might have missed, the all important trick being secured by giving dummy one ruff before leading

Z lead the club and B won it with the ace, leading a diamond and successfully finessing the ten. Instead of leading the trumps at this stage B led three rounds of hearts, dummy ruffing the third and then leading trumps. Z put the queen of then leading trumps. Z put the queen of hearts on the jack, for fear dummy would discard the losing club. Z won the trump lead and led a club.

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Y put on the king and led his last trump, which Y held with the king. It trumped the next club lead and dropped all the trumps in two leads. Then he went through Z with another diamond, so that the ace was all Z could make.

The student will find that Z gains nothing if he ruffs Y with the losing heart instead of leading the second round of clubs, as dummy will trump and the second round of clubs, as dummy will trump and the second round of clubs, as dummy will trump spades and then B doubled. His idea



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ner would try for game on some other bid.

To some persons this may seem rather accomalous bidding. Why, they ask, should a player indicate that the best he can do is to defeat the opponent's the minor suits if he can see game. But declaration and at the same time intimate that he would rather not be left to try it?

won, 302 altogether.

The interesting point about Y's hand is his ability to support anything but spades. If Z's spades are strong enough he can go back to them. If they are good for several sure tricks, he can go to no trumps, or he can shift to either of the minor suits if he can see game. But unless Z can see a fair chance for game, Y suggests that it will be better to defeat the heart contract.

Here is another example of the double.

called a forced bid, is the same as the deliberate declaration of two different suits, to allow the partner to take his choice, to say which better fits his hand.

Here is an instructive situation of this character which came up in a recent



heart instead of leading the second round of clubs, as dummy will trump in with the queen or jack. If Y overtrumps and leads a club dummy wins and returns the club for B to trump. Two rounds of trumps and the diamond lead follow.

Now here is an example of how a double may give the partner the same choice as declaring two suits, although the double in this case means precisely what it says; that the doubler thinks he can defeat the opponents' contract if they are left to play it. The hand came up at the Knickerbocker last week.

When Z and A passed Y went to three spades and then B doubled. His idea was to induce his partner to go to no trumps, as it looked to B as if Y was denying any assistance in hearts, but was afraid of the hearts and went to four diamonds instead of no trumps. Y went right on to four spades, which is rather forward bidding in the face of the double, but he was afraid of losing the game in diamonds if he left A in. A could make four, but not the game, as he must lose a club and two hearts. When B doubled the four spades it was no longer with any idea of inducing A to go no trumps, but to set the con-

A to go no trumps, but to set the contract, as he did not see game in diamonds when he could not ruff anything until the third round.

Although A was wrong about the five hearts in Z's hand, he was right about A B X J 10 7 5

Rearts in Zs hand, he was right about the no trumper's being too weak. It is true that Z might play so badly as to give A three odd at no trumps if he led either of the black suits after making his fourth heart, supposing that Y led

his fourth heart, supposing that Y led hearts originally.

But Z's play would be to put A right in with the diamonds, so as to be sure of killing the club queen Y has bid the spades so strong that A cannot have any of that suit to lead, or ealy one at the most. one at the most.

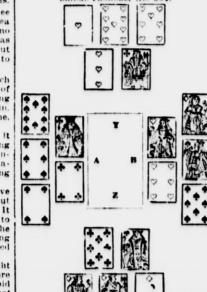


ruffs and leads two rounds of hearts. York city; Elijah P. Landry, Rouses king first, Z discarding the spade on the winning heart and trumping the second one just high enough to beat B's trump. This leaves nothing for A and B but the

same pitchers went into the box and held the solvers down to one run, made by Frank S. Busser, who is again one of the five who are to fight for the cham-

Y 10 8 5 3 c: the five who are to fight for the championship in the next series.

Those who solved all four of the selected problems were O. H. Boston, New York city: Frank S. Busser, German town, Pa.: L. S. York city; Frank S. Busser, German-town, Pa.; L. S. Hart, Jr., Duncannon, Pa.; D. A. W., Forr Plain, N. Y., and W. P. W., Elizabeth, N. J. During the summer months the honor list will be suspended as usual, but in the fall the subsers may expect some problems quite solvers may expect some problems quite

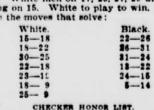


The distribution of the cards is as Y has the ace nine seven three of hearts, and the jack of trumps. No dia-monds or spades.

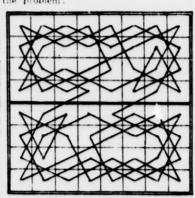
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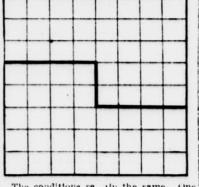
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B has the queen six of hearts; queen of diamonds; queen and eight of spades.
West Point, where the annual comtively every year. Tremendous sums







when the board is divided by a straight



Goes to Buy Coffin, Drowned. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 17 .- Many

pathetic instances have come to light in the report of families wheel out, children suddenly made orphans and parents bereaved of several children in the tornado which swept this district. Near De Lark, in Dallas county, the entire family of Mr. and Mrs. William Woomack perished in the storm, including their two daughters and one son. Robert Woomack, a nephew, started for De Lark to buy coffins for the five bodies. He was drowned in crossing a swollen stream.

THE WAKE OF THE NEWS

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CHOICE FOR THE PARTNER

By R. F. FOSTER.

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Unfortunately problem No. 383 was stipulating that the artillerists of the campaign were conducted coopera-Among the peculiarily modern uses of the double is one which requires considerable judgment in handling on the part of both doubler and partner. This is the double with the double meaning: the one that shows that the player thinks he can defeat the contract, but at the same time would try for game on some other bid.

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To some persons this more of an again to bid the diamonds over anything. Now A cannot go on with the hearts in the double ment of being peculiarly free from complications and having at the same time a short and decisive solution. Several correspondents express a hope difficult, but was intended to illustrate to the beginner the importance of allowing the partner to pick his discards and simple honors, 216 points, Playing it at three diamonds, with the prospect of game held out by Y's double, Z makes a grand slam, with 28 honors, which is at the same time would try for game on some other bid.

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one just high enough to bear Hs trump. This leaves nothing for A and II but the Jack 10 of 9.4 of 10 of 9.4 of 10 kins, on Monroe's ticket, were the only

college, two diamonds, two spades and a heart.

Z dealt and passed at most tables, not feeling equal to the no trumper that two or three started with. A also passed, the beginner should observe that although A has three honors in diamonds there is not a sure trick in the suit. Y bid a club, more to ask a lead in anticipation of Ps getting the contract than anything eise. B bid a heart on his four when playing a minor suit, The play on the club declaration was rather interesting, and shows the imponents.

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With Eastside Park, Paterson, suf-

fering from a plague of rats there may be residents of the New Jersey town who would like to see the United States follow Denmark's lead and enact anti-rat legislation. The Danes have a law under which a penny a head is paid for dead rodents and the schoolboys of Copenhagen devote their spare time to hunting the pests. The bodies are taken to a fire station and the tails are cut off, so that the reward may not be claimed a second time Or Paterson might establish a rat The conditions re in the same. One pound, such as the one in Paris. The The conditions re tin the same. One part of the board must be completely covered before any square in the other part is touched. Each tour must be an exact duplicate of the diagram of the other, and the whole tour must form an endless chain of knight's moves.

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